APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO CHANGE POINT OF DIVERSION, MANNER OF USE AND PLACE OF USE OF THE PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA HERETOFORE APPROPRIATED

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Date of filing in State Engineer's OfficeAUG 18 1999				
Returned to applicant for correction				
Corrected application filed				
Map filed MAY 31 1979 under 36870				

The applicant Battle Mountain Gold Company, hereby makes application for permission to change the Place of Use of water heretofore appropriated under Permit #36873, Certificate #13749				

1. The source of water is Underground				
2. The amount of water to be changed 0.117 cfs				
3. The water to be used for Mining, Milling and Domestic				
4. The water heretofore permitted for Mining, Milling and Domestic				
5. The water is to be diverted at the following point NW1 SW1 Section 10, T30N, R43E MDB&M or at a point from which the SW Corner of said Section 10, bears S 31° 42' W, 1,829.0 feet.				
6. The existing permitted point of diversion is located within				
7. Proposed place of use Sections 14, 15, 16, 21, 22, 23, 26, 27, 28, 32, 33, and 34 of Township 31 North, Range 43 East and Sections 2, 3, 4, 8, 9, 10, 16 and 21 of Township 30 North, Range 43 East MDB&M				
8. Existing place of use Section 9 and 10, Township 30 North, Range 43 East, MDB&M				
9. Use will be from January 1 to December 31 of each year.				
10. Use was permitted from January 1 to December 31 of each year.				
11. Description of proposed works Existing Well				
12. Estimated cost of works				
13. Estimated time required to construct works Existing Well CM-4				
14. Estimated time required to complete the application of water to beneficial use 5 years				
15. Remarks:				
Chuck Zimmerman By s/Chuck Zimmerman 3488 Goni Rd., Suite 142 Carson City, Nevada 89706				
Compared gkl/cmf hf/cmf				

Protested ____

APPROVAL OF STATE ENGINEER

This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing application, and do

hereby grant the same, subject to the following limitations and conditions:

This permit to change the place of use of the waters of an underground source as heretofore granted under Permit 36873, Certificate 13749 is issued subject to the terms and conditions imposed in said Permit 36873, Certificate 13749 and with the understanding that no other rights on the source will be affected by the change proposed herein. The well shall be equipped with a 2-inch opening and a totalizing meter must be installed and maintained in the discharge pipeline near the point of diversion and accurate measurements must be kept of water placed to beneficial use. The totalizing meter must be installed before any use of the water begins or before the Proof of Completion of Work is filed. If the well is flowing, a valve must be installed and maintained to prevent waste. The State retains the right to regulate the use of the water herein granted at any and all times.

This permit does not extend the permittee the right of ingress and egress on public, private or corporate lands.

The issuance of this permit does not waive the requirements that the permit holder obtain other permits from State, Federal and local agencies.

The total combined duty of water for consumptive purposes under Permits 11876, Certificate 3503; 36870, Certificate 12923; 36871, Certificate 13747; 36872, Certificate 13748; 49459, 36871, Certificate 13747; 36872, Certificate 13748; 49459, Certificate 14023; 49460, Certificate 14024; 49461, Certificate 14025; 52036, Certificate 14018; 54214, Certificate 13754; 65411; 65412; 65415 through 65427, inclusive, 65428-E; 65429-E, and Temporary Permits 66371-T, 66372-T, and 66373-T shall not exceed 12,905.0 acre-feet annually for mining and milling purposes.

A monthly report must be submitted to the State Engineer within 10 days from the end of each month. The report shall

include measurement of the volume of water pumped from each well or diversion site. Reporting frequency may later be changed if authorized by the State Engineer.

The State Engineer retains the right to require at any time the permittee to cooperate in the funding of additional monitoring and modeling by an independent third party. The State Engineer retains the right to impose future conditions as necessary upon review and evaluation of all data submitted. The State Engineer retains the right to regulate pumping herein authorized to protect the public interest and existing rights.

The manner of use of water under this permit is by nature of its activity a temporary use and any application to change the manner of use granted under this permit will be subject to additional determination and evaluation with respect to the permanent effects on existing rights and the resource within the groundwater basin.

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The amount of water to be appropriated shall be limited to the amount which can be applied to beneficial use, and not to exceed 0.117 cubic feet per second, but not to exceed 0.2.88 acre-feet annually.

Work must be prosecuted with reasonable diligence and be completed on or before:

November 12, 2002

Proof of completion of work shall be filed before:

December 12, 2002

Water must be placed to beneficial use on or before:

November 12, 2005

Proof of the application of water to beneficial use shall be filed on or before: December 12, 2005

Map in support of proof of beneficial use shall be filed on or before: \mathbf{N}/\mathbf{A}

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, R. MICHAEL TURNIPSEED, P.E.,

my hand and the seal of my office,
this 30th day of Jine A.D. 2000
State Engineer

Completion of work filed	7		St ak e E :. —
Proof of beneficial use filed			_
Cultural map filed	N/A	·	_
Certificate No.	Tssued		

